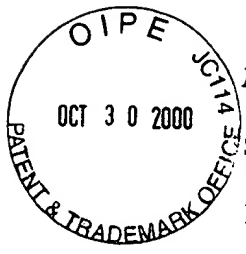


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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and
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to the following documents:

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Wright et al.	4,802,218	January 31, 1989
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"Scaleable, Secure Cash Payment for WWW Resources with the PayMe Protocol Set," printed from the Internet at <http://ganges.cs.tcd.ie/mepeirce/Project/Payme/Overview.html> on October 23, 2000.

These documents are listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate) and copies are enclosed herewith.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this

patent application is respectfully requested.

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